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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 18, 2006, setting a shortened statutory period for reply on October 18, 2006, reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejections and allowance of the present application are respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

Remarks are included following the amendments.